

Hales Sawmills case study

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Project Overview

Hales Sawmills, based in Market Drayton, Shropshire, is a family-run manufacturer and supplier of timber products with over 25-years' experience. Providing retail and wholesale services, it combines the latest production technologies with traditional craftsmanship, offering high quality products to an ever-expanding customer base, which includes timber merchants, farmers, local councils and the general public.

Hayes Sawmills have recently invested in a new £5 million state-of-the-art manufacturing facility to accommodate expansion.



Customer Needs

- To ensure the protection of people, plants and machinery at its new facility.
- A reliable security system to minimise false alarms.
- Round-the-clock remote video recording during the out-of-hours periods.

Solution and Benefits

Chubb designed and installed a sophisticated IP-based video security system comprised of IP CCTV day/night cameras around the facility's perimeter. Chubb also installed additional dome cameras, which can be operated locally from Hales Sawmills' own control desk.

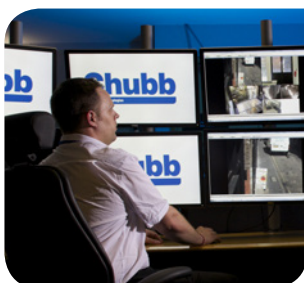


Julian Parton, chairman at Hales Sawmills said the installation was achieved with minimum disruption: *"We hardly noticed the engineers' presence and productivity was not affected, which was exactly what was required."*

The use of intelligent video analytics within the IP CCTV day/night cameras helps to reduce false alarms often generated by small animals and moving vegetation, whilst increasing the likelihood of detecting a genuine intruder. Should an alarm occur, Chubb's remote video recording operation monitors the images remotely and determines appropriate action.

Project Summary

Summarising Hales Sawmills experience with Chubb, Julian said *"We now have 24/7 protection, and that gives us tremendous peace of mind. We can also use the dome cameras throughout the day, not just for security, but to monitor stock levels and yard activity to further improve our operational effectiveness."*



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